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## I NEVER WANTED TO ATTEND BRYAN!

by Andrew Bauder '74

On a recent trip to Ohio while making contacts as admissions coordinator, Walter Seera '68 had fellowship with alumnus Andrew Bauder, a Christian education major who graduated in 1974. Their conversation reminded Mr. Seera that while he was dean of students a few years ago, one of the young men in his charge was a college-age Jonah. Of course, that wasn't his given name nor had he hit the TV newsbreak as being a person who was spewed from the mouth of a big fish on some exotic shore. As a matter of fact, those living around him on Bryan's campus were unaware that this nice guy was allowing attitudes to manipulate his mindset into "tunnel vision": he could see only his own methods and means as he struggled to find a goal in life.

Here is Drew's own story of his heart experiences at Bryan that prepared him eventually for a successful ministry in the Market Street Baptist Church in Zanesville, Ohio, as their first Christian Education director. He previously served as assistant director of Crossroads Christian Youth Center in Big Rock, Illinois.

Life has been a series of doors opening and closing through which the Lord has been directing my life. Opportunities presented themselves in such a way that only the Lord's working can be attributed to those circumstances and I have tried to pray with David, "My steps have held fast to thy paths. My feet have not slipped" (Psalm 17:5 NASB). All too many times, however, I have tried to be the one to open those doors and make the opportunities, and all that I found was frustration and dissatisfaction in my life.

I never wanted to attend Bryan. In fact, I only chose to send an application in to Bryan to satisfy my parents. Although I knew in my senior year of high school that the Lord had called me into His ministry, I refused to proceed willingly through the door He had opened. The plans I had made were for a college education at a military school or a local state university. After several weeks of eagerly awaiting a reply to my applications, I received two gracious letters of rejection from both schools. The world seemed to fall in around me; my neatly wrapped life plans were coming apart. Secretly, in my heart, I felt the blame should be placed on the Lord for not giving me what I wanted. A college education looked very dim with only Bryan as my last and final hope. But on one rainy, spring afternoon in Philadelphia I received a letter of acceptance from Bryan College. My hopes were lifted again but the resentment remained. And I faced a new problem of what I was going to do at a Christian college.



DREW '74 and SUE (HOPPE) x'75 BAUDER with Heather and Andy. (Drew and Sue met at the President's reception when Sue was a freshman and they were matched for the event. They dated steadily that year before they became engaged.)

I was off for Bryan in August of 1968, leaving behind a close relative who was dying, all my luggage (through a mix-up at the train station), and the security of close friends. The next week was spent waiting for news from home, washing the only set of clothes I had, and meeting new people from all over the United States. My roommate for that first year was a guy from Tennessee, and I wasn't too sure how this "yankee" would get along with a guy from the south! I was later to learn so much from this beautiful Christian.

Classes began and were tougher than I expected. This compounded my troubles with the news of my grandmother's death. More resentment towards the Lord was building up inside. "Why did He allow me to come to this school and why did He let someone I love die?" were only a couple of my questions that never seemed to get answered.

Pressure mounted to keep grades up and to live by rules that, to me, were only made to make life more unbearable. I felt that Bryan, through its rules and classes, was trying to force me into its mold that produces the "typical Bryan alumnus," of which I wanted no part. The rules were too confining for all the creative pleasures in which I intended to be involved.

The Lord had opened the door to the future and to my education, yet I chose to go through my own door and make my own opportunities no matter what the cost. First semester was exciting: dating, sports, and trying to break as many rules as I could without getting

caught. I found that although I thought I was having fun, I was rebelling against teachers, administration, parents, and the Lord. As usual my life reflected my rebellion in the forms of frustration and a joyless existence which I sought to fill by more and more outside fun. I also found myself on academic probation which caused me to blame God, once again, for what was going wrong.

At the end of the second semester I was convinced that the Lord had ruined my college life. I decided to leave that past year behind and not come back to Bryan in the fall. I moved that summer from Philadelphia to Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, where I knew I would find all the fun I was looking for.

The next year was spent in further rebellion, for all those feelings of resentment against the Lord surfaced. I tried to fill my life with friends, money, and pleasure, but all I found was emptiness.

Then one weekend my world of pleasure seemed to cave in when I finally realized what I was doing to my life. I decided that I could no longer be the one in control to open and close doors. I needed the Lord! I rededicated my life to Jesus Christ and with His help I would never run from Him again. Then answers came to my questions.

I knew that I should continue my education to properly equip myself for God's calling and my education should continue at Bryan. But it was already two weeks into the first semester so there seemed to be no chance. After I felt God's leading, I called Bryan's dean of students and explained to him what had happened in my life, and that I would like to come back. The answer was different than what I had expected; I was told that they would let me know after they had prayed and discussed the possibilities. My heart was filled with the reality that God was going to open the door again. The next morning I received a call from Mr. Seera telling me they had decided to readmit me.

I left my job and was back to Bryan in less than a week and immediately set out to make up almost a month's work. It was difficult but I had new strength and understanding that only the Lord could give. I began to realize that Bryan's goal was not to mold individuals but to guide them to spiritual maturity. I learned that if you choose to accept the discipline (as I learned the hard way), you receive more than you bring with you. But if you choose to reject what Bryan has to offer, you leave with less than you started.

Now as I look back on those years of training, I realize that for me Bryan made the difference in helping me to mature and to develop my potential for Jesus Christ.

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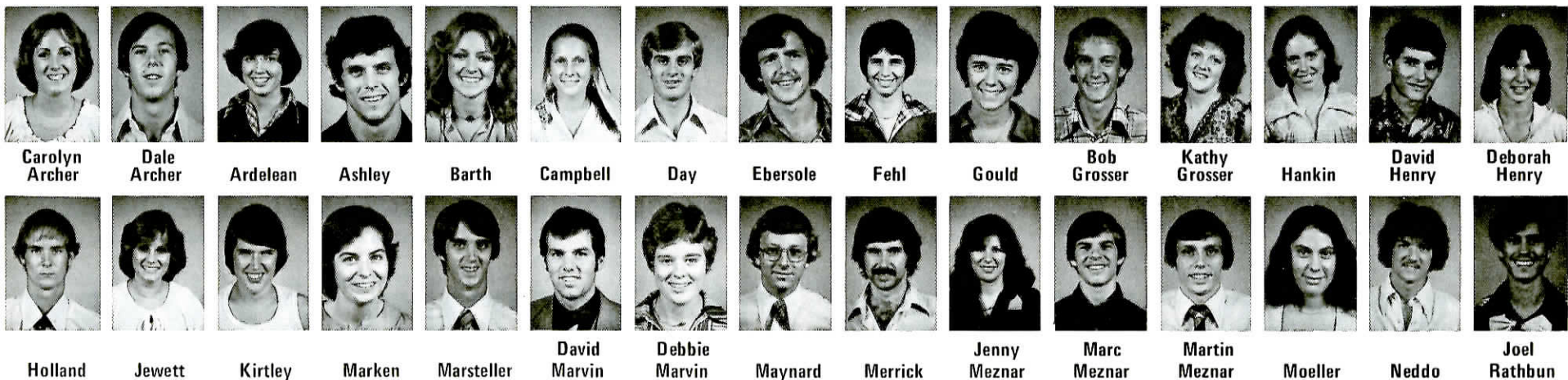
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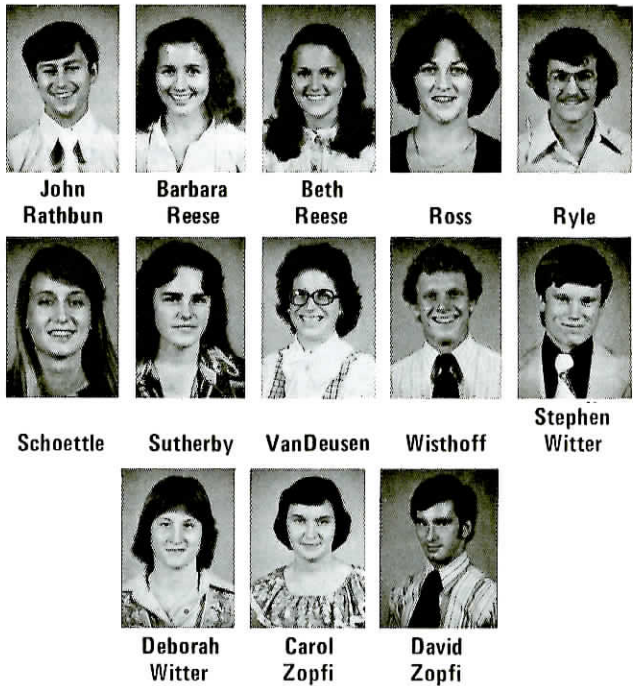
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## 44 Second Generation Students Enroll for 1978-79

STUDENT	CLASS	PARENTS	HOME CITY
Carolyn Archer	Jr	Vern and Helen (Bush) '74 ARCHER	Dayton, TN
Dale Archer	So	Vern and Helen (Bush) '74 ARCHER	Dayton, TN
Janet Ardelean	So	Paul x'55 and Jane ARDELEAN	Brasilia, Brazil
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Anna Barth	Fr	James '57 and Judy (King) '57 BARTH	Poland, OH
Jenny Campbell	Jr	Kenneth '56 and Norma (Nandrea) '59 CAMPBELL (daughter of Alice (McLeod) '56 Campbell—deceased)	Ontario, Canada
Jerry Day	Fr	Jerry '60 and Shirley DAY	Columbus, IN
Harold Ebersole	Jr	Russell and Nancy (Goodman Goehring) x'60 EBERSOLE (son of Harry '57 Goehring—deceased)	Vincetown, NJ
Jan Fehl	Fr	Larry '57 and Shirley (Ardelean) '56 FEHL	Jos, Nigeria
Clyde Fitzgerald (Not pictured)	Jr	Clyde and Reba (Arnold) '60 FITZGERALD	Dayton, TN
Lori Gould	Fr	Lois (Frieswyk) '56 GOULD (daughter of James '55 Gould—deceased)	Abidjan, Ivory Coast
Bob Grosser	Sr	Ralph '68 and Barbara GROSSER	Larkspur, CO
Kathy Grosser	Fr	Ralph '68 and Barbara GROSSER	Larkspur, CO
Elizabeth Hankin	Fr	John and Bertha (Derr) x'49 HANKIN	Collingswood, NJ
Daniel Henry	Jr	David '57 and Kay (Temple) '55 HENRY	Fairbanks, AK
Deborah Henry	Jr	David '57 and Kay (Temple) '55 HENRY	Fairbanks, AK
Darryl Holland	Fr	David '59 and Barbara (Cornatzer) x'60 HOLLAND	Hooper, CO
Cathy Jewett	Jr	Allen '52 and Shirley JEWETT	Hendersonville, NC
Mary Kirtley	Sr	Charles '51 and Loretta (Craig) '55 KIRTLEY	Hamburg, IA
Christine Marken	Jr	Kenneth '47 and Evelyn MARKEN	Highland Springs, VA
Mark Marsteller	Fr	Paul '54 and Mary (Wiggins) x'56 MARSTELLER	Glendale, AZ
David Marvin	Jr	Charles '56 and Jacqueline (Bryant) '56 MARVIN	Columbus, IN
Debbie Day Marvin	Sr	Jerry '60 and Shirley DAY	Columbus, IN
Tim Maynard	Fr	Ralph '54 and Melba (Mays) '55 MAYNARD	Kissimmee, FL
Mickey Merrick	Jr	Dan and Betty (Smetters) '53 MERRICK	Streamwood, IL
Jenny Meznar	Sr	Ronald '52 and Gladys (Jennewein) '50 MEZNAR	Sao Paulo, Brazil
Marc Meznar	Fr	Ronald '52 and Gladys (Jennewein) '50 MEZNAR	Sao Paulo, Brazil
Martin Meznar	Fr	Leonard '51 and Dona (Blaine) x'53 MEZNAR	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Mary Moeller	So	Kenneth '54 and Violet MOELLER	Elkhart, IN
Philip Neddo	So	Darwin '54 and June (Hively) '54 NEDDO	LaMadeleine, France
Joel Rathbun	Fr	John '54 and Joyce (Johnson) '54 RATHBUN	Seoul, Korea
John Mark Rathbun	Jr	John '54 and Joyce (Johnson) '54 RATHBUN	Seoul, Korea
Barbara Reese	Fr	Tim x'60 and Faith (Knowles) x'60 REESE	Rockford, IL
Beth Reese	Jr	James '56 and Adrienne (Kerr) '56 REESE	Ontario, Canada
Linda Ross	Fr	Carlton and Barbara (Ridder Ross) '58 ROBINSON	New Port Richey, FL
Rodney Ryle	So	Gayle '58 and Charlene (Sorell) '58 RYLE	Wilmington, DE
Grace Schoettl	Fr	H. Lewis '58 and Charlotte (Wilde) x'57 SCHOETTLE	Miami Springs, FL
Michelle Sutherby	Fr	Clare x'56 and Mary SUTHERBY	Gobles, MI
Merrily VanDeusen	Sr	Jon '75 and Ginger VAN DEUSEN	New Port Richey, FL
Stephen Wisthoff	Fr	David '53 and Katie WISTHOFF	Minot, ND
Deborah Witter	Fr	Alton '54 and Mary Jean (McKinley) '54 WITTER	Seabrook, MD
Stephen Witter	So	Alton '54 and Mary Jean (McKinley) '54 WITTER	Seabrook, MD
Carol Zopfi	So	Kermit x'50 and Gleneale ZOPFI	Dayton, TN
David Zopfi	Jr	Kermit x'50 and Gleneale ZOPFI	Dayton, TN



came home last summer for a "mini-furlough." Glenn was invited to attend a seminar of the Berean Mission. Their son, Paul, and some friends arranged for Mom to be at home to share in her family reunion with two sisters and a brother, who are also missionaries and who met together for the first time since 1952. One missionary is in Japan, one in Mexico, and her sister LORA LEE SPURLOCK '57 works in Africa.

DR. ERNEST '52 and LOIS (CARTWRIGHT) x'54 LEE have been assigned to the Solomon Islands Technical Assistance Group of Wycliffe workers to do linguistic and literacy consultant work and Bible translation. Ernest will be literacy consultant there for about 2½ years, and the family plans to move early in 1979. Their daughter Karen will attend high school at Ukarumpa and Tina will stay with her parents to attend school in Horiara, the capital of the Solomon Islands, where they will live. Their three older children will remain in the States—Dan with his wife in Dallas where he is on the police force, Joel with his wife in Chicago for Joel to attend Northwestern University School of Music, and Benjamin as a college freshman at Christian Heritage College near San Diego, Cal.

RICHARD '52 and BARBARA (BECKER) x'53 McINTOSH continue their service at Cedarville College—Richard in teaching and counseling as well as being involved in pulpit supply and retreat and conference ministries on week ends and Barbara in the academic records office plus home and church responsibilities. Their children Rick and Kathy are married and provide them with three grandchildren; and their sons Mike and Mark still live at home while attending school or working.

RON '52 and GLADYS (JENNEWEIN) '50 MEZNAR were gratified when they returned to Brazil last fall to see the accomplishments of the Brazilians in expanding the church auditorium with a tiled baptistry and added rooms. Five neighborhood Bible classes continued without interruption. In the Seminary Ron has added a third teaching night. Including students taking Bible courses in their home areas under national host pastors, 106 students are under their care this year. Their missionary language school is facing problems because of the lack of visas for new missionaries, but they are hoping for improvement. The day school with 225 students faces growth problems but has high school morale for the new year.

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## ALUMNI GLEANINGS

MARGARET LOWE x'41, who is on early retirement after a heart attack, has been doing volunteer work and enjoying the association one day a week at WAJL, a Christian radio station in Orlando, Fla. She also had opportunity to share her testimony on the air. During the past year she has seen alumni MABEL (ARNOLD) WALKER '40 and MARY LOIS (HODGES) FISH '35 during their visits to Orlando.

VIRGIL '44 and EDWINA (LIEN) '54 SORGE recently purchased a home in Hammond, Ind., close to the Christian Fellowship Church, where Virgil leads congregational singing, helps with the choir, and occasionally fills the pulpit in the absence of the pastor. In his secular work Virgil now supervises twenty proof-readers who are college graduates and former teachers. The Sorges' son Brian is a pre-med student at Valparaiso University, making an A average so far. They report the remarkable improvement in health of Edwina's sister, JANICE (LIEN GOEHRLING) GOATES '50, who was ill with cancer in advanced stages but who has given evidence of complete recovery after receiving a new drug and the Lord's touch. Janice and Sam Goates live in Valley Springs, Ark.

WARD TRESSLER x'45 resigned in April from the pastorate of the Grace Brethren Church in Fremont, Ohio, and on October 1 began his service as pastor of the Indian Heights Grace Brethren Church in Kokomo, Ind. Since his wife, Agnes (Fay) is still teaching in Fremont, they are maintaining their home in Fremont and Ward uses a travel trailer in Kokomo for his home during the week and for family fellowship on week ends. He had served in Fremont for twelve years and at his farewell service on July 16 was recognized for thirty years in the ministry.

GRACE (THEOBALD) x'46 and Clare McGILL returned to Taiwan with their son Terry for their fourth

term last fall after a summer furlough in Canada. On June 19 they had the privilege of attending the wedding of their son Tim to a short-term missionary he had met in Taiwan.

HELEN (BALDWIN) x'48 and Russell NEIMY live in Green Bay, Wis., where they operate a boarding home. Their first boarder has continued with them for 17 years and from her Catholic background finally found Christ as Saviour and enjoys fellowship in Helen's church. Their daughter, Marion, attends Oral Roberts University, and their son, Russell, is in high school.

JEAN PULKIN '49 is serving as a home health nurse for homebound patients under Medicare. She finds numerous opportunities to minister to spiritual needs also. She resides in Jackson, Ga., an Atlanta suburb.

NELL PEARSON '49 found a good response to Moody films at the Fair in Strasbourg, Austria, as well as in schools, prisons, old peoples' homes, and private groups. In summer camp in August, 52 children attended, and two weeks of DVBS followed in Taxham and Niederolm with the Church on Wheels used as a classroom. Fall plans included the International Fair in Strasbourg in September and other showings of Moody Science films.

CHARLES '51 and LORETTA (CRAIG) '55 KIRTLEY continue their ministry in Hamburg, Iowa, where Charles is pastor of the First Baptist Church. In February 4-17, Charles is cooperating with Project Partner with Christ for ministry in Nicaragua to help nationals construct a church in the village of Laceiba on the Lake of Managua. This repeats a similar project in which Charles shared last year. Last July a group of 23 worked for the Baptist mission in Kodiak, Alaska, to renew two large two-story houses. Three of the Kirtley children are now in college—Martha x'78 at Judson College, Mary a senior at Bryan, and Chuck at LeTourneau College in aviation—and Tim is a junior in high school.

GLENN '52 and MARJORIE xp. '52 CRUMLEY



# ALUMNI CAMPUS VISITORS

Summer and fall visitors include those alumni and their families pictured below:



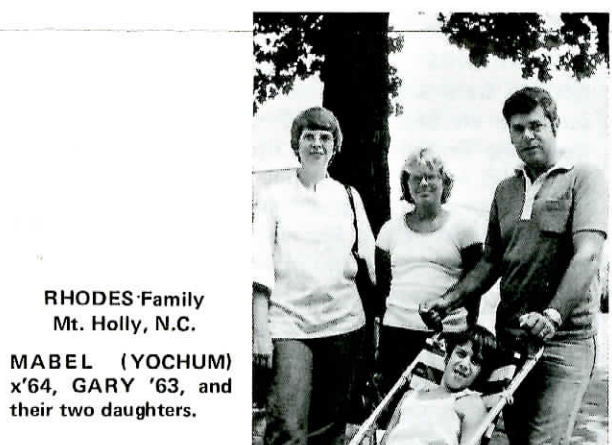
McMANUS Family, Charlestown, Ind.  
Annette, JOEANN (ENYART) '54, Dawn and her husband



CONRAD Family, Mechanicsburg, PA.  
Robert, CAROL (BUELL) x'60, Kathy, and ROBERT '59



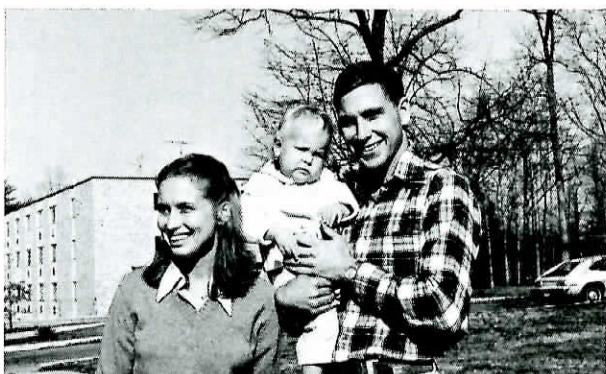
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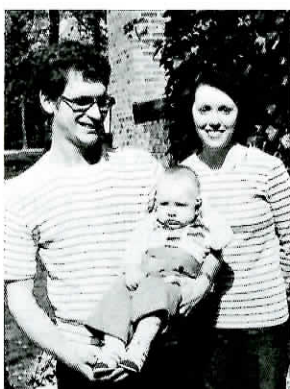
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x'64, GARY '63, and  
their two daughters.



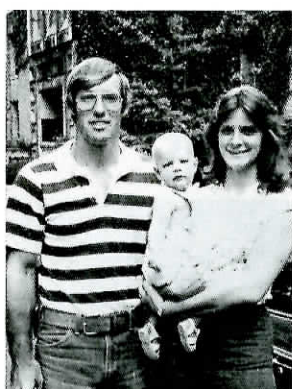
BRENNAN Family, Atlanta, GA.  
Robert Jr. (he and Terri accepted for August '79 students),  
Marilyn and ROBERT '75, Terri, Tracey, and Rodney.



ROBESON Family, Norfolk, VA.  
NANCY (NOFSINGER) '74, Elizabeth, and MASTIN '76



WHEELER Family, Netcong,  
N.J.—LYNN '75, Roberta, and  
Nathan



RUSSELL Family, Mobile,  
Ala.—TOM x'75, Cindy, and  
Candy

GRAYCE E. GREEN '61, who is serving with the U.S. Air Force in special services, is stationed in Adana, Turkey. She teaches sixth grade in a situation which is considered a "hardship assignment."

KEN '63 and LYN (ROWE) '63 UTLEY have moved back to French Camp Academy in Miss. to be house parents at Day Dorm with older boys. Ken is still taking classes at Reformed Seminary in Jackson.

Andrew and LESLIE (STONE) '64 FORTIER are houseparents at Flowers Home for older boys, also at French Camp.

VERNA BAKER '63 is listed in the 10th edition (1977-78) of *WHO'S WHO OF AMERICAN WOMEN*, repeating a similar honor of 1975-76. She was also recognized in the 16th edition (1977-78) of *WHO'S WHO IN THE EAST*. She is librarian at the King's College in Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.

DAN x'63 HARRISON has been appointed by the Wycliffe Board of Directors as Vice President for Development. During the past year he has been assisting Frank Robbins in administration at the Dallas office. The new position entails recruitment of personnel, development of financial backing, and building relationships with all organizations and people with whom Wycliffe Translators work. Pictured with Mr. Harrison are his wife, SHELBY (SKINNER) '61 and their four children—(left to right) Paula, Holly, Tonya, and Melody.



HARRISON Family

FAITH (ISBELL) '69 and Murray HEITZER live in Beloit, Wis., with their young daughter, Rachel Beth. Faith was a public health nurse in Rockford, Ill., until Rachel arrived. Her husband, Murray, works in the Rockford plant as a division engineer for Warner-Lambert Corp., which makes Chiclets, Dynamints, Dentyne, etc.

DeWITT x'67 and Pat WOODWARD with their children, Wendy, John, and David, have settled temporarily in San Jose, Costa Rica, for language study as they prepare for translation work in South America.

NITA (KARGES) '68 PAPWORTH assists her husband, Richard, in their missionary work in Rezaieyeh, Iran. He produces Christian radio programs in Persian which are broadcast from FEBA Seychelles and a commercial AM station on Cyprus. Their daughter, Melanie, is a year and one-half old. The political unrest in Tehran had not disturbed their city at the time they wrote.

PAUL '70 and DREMA (ROWSEY) x'72 STONE moved in June to Miami where Paul was transferred to work with Colonial Shirt Corp. He is now in charge of exporting and importing all materials for the overseas plants. They like Miami and especially are happy in the South Dade Bible Chapel.



SUTHERBY Family  
Cherie, Michelle, Mary, Craig, CLARE x'56, and Marci with  
three small foster children—Perry, Sue, and Dawn.

## ALUMNI GLEANINGS (Continued)

BUD '54 and LOLLY (GEARHART) '54 FRITZ report for TEAM in Trinidad and Tobago that 35 students are enrolled in the new Bible school. A Leadership Training and Instruction (LTI) workshop attracted 30 students who were supervised in self-study by three teachers. They were introduced to the rules of Bible interpretation and how to use a Strong's Concordance with the Greek and Hebrew dictionaries. Their desire to study was unbelievable; and they are hoping to have another workshop next year. Family Day for national churches was climaxed with a baptismal service for 30 candidates and the gathering of faith promises for national workers. The Fritz's son Mark has applied to TEAM as a summer missionary for 1979.

DONALD WELTMER '56 recently became the pastor of the Rosemont Grace Brethren Church in Martinsburg, W. V.

CARY PERDUE '58 as president of the Asian Theological Seminary is thanking God for 20 faculty members, of whom 8 have doctor's degrees; 120 students, of whom 22 are in the graduating class; a three-year Master of Divinity degree program; financial needs met for operation; an aggressive dean and a capable business manager to assist in administration; a stream of international theologians and educators as visiting professors.

LEE '60 and Irene TEMPLES have returned to Puerto Ayacucho, Venezuela, to resume their work with New Tribes Mission. They are helping to reproduce Bible portions as the translations are prepared.

BOB '63 and GRETA (SORRELL) '60 CARIGON have become city dwellers in Holland, Mich., after nine years in the country. Bob has been teaching history in the same middle school for ten years and coaching high school cross country. This year he got approval to begin girls' track in the high school. Greta is working with the Holland Community education program. Their children are Tim, 16; Robin, 13; Heidi, 10; and Stephen, 7.

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Jessica and Jeremy Gage



Tim Nguy

MIRIAM GEBB x'71 has been accepted by World Radio Missionary Fellowship for a two-year term in Quito, Ecuador, as a member of one of the support teams. Miriam expects to serve in some phase of the Medical Hospital in Shell, Medical Caravans (mobile clinics) and community health development. In January she will begin several months of Spanish language study in Cost Rica.

DALE '71 and CONNIE (BLAKE) '71 GIBSON live in Lynchburg, Va., where Dale is athletic director and head basketball coach at Liberty Baptist College. Connie teaches at Lynchburg Christian Academy. Their daughter, Holly Nicole, is two years old.

Don and MARJORIE (CLARK) x'71 SMITH are house parents at Spencer-McCain Dorm in French Camp Academy, where they have served since May 1977. They have 18 of the youngest girls, ages 9 to 15, plus two sons of their own and a boy they are planning to adopt.

GLENN x'73 and LINDA (BIEBER) '71 GAGE live and work in Portland, Ore. Glenn is also attending Multnomah School of the Bible. Their Christmas photo shows Jessica and Jeremy above.

DANN '73 and LINDA (HOWARD) '73 SPEICHINGER were able to take summer school courses to qualify for state certification to teach in Arizona. With their three children, Nathan, Renae, and Nolan, they moved out of an upstairs apartment into a house as they continue serving with Immanuel Mission and School in Tec Nos Pos, Ariz.

JON EISENBACK '74 recently won the Best Student Paper Award for a presentation at the national meeting of the Society of Nematologists in Hot Springs, Ark. Also he won a research award from the North Carolina Agricultural Foundation. As a result of these awards Jon has been invited to speak at the North Carolina Association of Plant Pathologists and Nematologists and also at the national meeting of the Scanning Electron Microscopists in Washington, D. C. He and his wife, MARILYN (HAWKINS) '75, live in Raleigh, N.C.

RONALD TAYLOR '74 received the degree of doctor of business administration from the University of Tennessee at Knoxville in June 1978. He is now assistant professor of accounting in the College of Business Administration at the University of North Carolina.

TIMOTHY NGUY x'75 is living in Waterloo, Ont., and receiving training for a manager's position for Wendy's Old Fashioned Hamburgers, while he works now as an assistant manager. (See photo above.)

Nard and SANDY (NEWMAN) '75 PUGYAO spent the months of October through January at Wycliffe Jungle camp in Southern Mexico.

Lance and MARCIA (ROWSEY) '75 GARRISON live in St. Petersburg, Fla., where their son, Samuel James, celebrated his first birthday on January 19.

DREW BLANKMAN '76, who has graduated from Western Baptist Theological Seminary, went to Oak Hills Bible Institute in the fall of 1978 to teach psychology and to work part time with youth of the Covenant Church of Bemidji. He is himself an alumnus of OHBI.

RANDY MERTES '77 received the master of religious education degree on December 15 at the commencement of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

DAVID BEATY '76 is studying at the University of Port Elizabeth in South Africa to earn a Ph.D. in

## WEDDINGS

CLAIRE ANN FRAZER '59 and Charles Henry Riley on December 16 at the Community Grace Brethren Church of Whittier, Cal.

BRENDA WIKOFF '71 and Gordon Heaton in October in the New Covenant Church in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

ELLEN C. HAWKINS '72 and Terry A. Schenck on July 1, in New Orleans, La. The Schencks reside in Alexandria, Va.

WILLIAM SHANKLIN BREWER '75 and Carol Lynn Wright on December 19 at Park City Baptist Church in Dallas, Texas.

MARILYN KAYE WILLIAMSON '75 and MICHAEL THOMAS BUCKLEY x'79 on December 16 at the Liberty Church in Cosby, Tenn.

ROBERT WILLIAM JONES '78 and BETH ANN BOGGS '78 on December 30 at the Community Alliance Church in Butler, Pa.

DON HEWLETT '78 and LOUISE BURT '78 on December 16 at the White Chapel at Bryan College. Louise is the daughter of George and RUTH (MORROW) BURT x'56 and the sister of REBECCA BURT x'81.

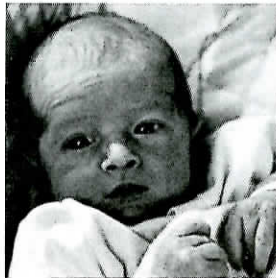
JEFFERY ALTON ARMSTRONG x'79 and Terrie Ann Cornwell on December 15 at the Calvary Baptist Church in Findlay, Ohio.

BILLIE JEAN RAAB '76 and Peter Holubz on November 11 in Johnstown, PA.

LE ANN CHRISTINE McCLELLAND '78 and Frank Stanley Kelley on December 22 at the Spencer Memorial Baptist Church in Tampa, Fla.

SARAH CAMMENGA x'78 and Albert de Boer on December 28 in Dayton, Tenn. They are attending Dort College in Sioux Center, Iowa.

## BIRTHS



Rachel Beth Heitzer

To Murray and FAITH (ISBELL) '69 HEITZER their first child, Rachel Beth, on October 27 in Beloit, Wis.

To STEVE x'64 and BARBARA (TANIS) x'65 SNYDER their fourth child, Sarah Louise, on October 28 in Sioux City, Iowa. Their other children are Daniel, 15, David, 13, and Rachel, 4.

To RICHARD '69 and CHARLOTTE (STEPHENS) x'72 FISHER their second child, Jill Ann, on June 29, in Dayton, Tenn. Their son, Jeff, is five.

To RICK '72 and KATHY (AVERY) '69 MILLER a son, Timothy John, on September 26 in Atlanta, Ga. Their daughter, Cindy, is now two years.

psychology after earning the M.A. at Middle Tenn. State Univ.

STEPHEN BEATY x'78 is attending the University of Tennessee Medical School at Memphis after completing undergraduate work at Vanderbilt University, following his two-years of pre-med at Bryan. He expects to spend four years to earn his medical degree.

JON BENNETT '76 has passed all parts of the Certified Public Accountants' exam and needs to complete about two more years accounting experience to receive certification. He is teaching the senior high young people at the Sunday School in his home church in Cleveland, Ohio.

RACHAEL LACEY x'79 has completed her ministry with Operation Mobilization in Belgium and is now working at the Rest Haven Home as a nurse's aide in Grand Rapids, Mich.

PATTI COWDEN x'80 joined the U.S. Navy and left her home in Kingsport, Tenn., in late 1978 for training.

# SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOLS

Can YOU help?

Bryan's student recruitment department is eager to make contact with every Christian high school in the U.S. Although we have some of these schools on our list, we do not have all the information we need and we do not even know of the existence of some. Bryan alumni and other readers of the BRYANETTE can help bring us up to date on needed information about Christian high schools.

Here's a method that takes a minimum of time and expense. Would you try it and send us the results whether or not you get answers to all the suggested questions?

- In the Yellow Pages of the telephone directory from the classification Schools, make a list of Christian schools and academies.
- Call each of these Christian schools and academies for the following information:
  - How many *high school* grades does the school currently have?
  - Does the school use a "traditional" curriculum or does it use the Accelerated Christian Education (ACE) program or a combination of both?

If the school does not have grades beyond the 8th grade level, please ask if they intend to add grades 9 through 12. (The inquiry would end at this point if there are no immediate plans to add high school grades.)

- Is the school church-related? If so, what church?
  - Who is the headmaster or principal or administrator?
  - Who is the guidance counselor or senior class adviser?
  - How many seniors in this year's graduating class?
  - What competitive sports are in the school's programs?
  - Who are coaches of the various sports?
- C. Answers to these questions along with the full address and telephone numbers of the schools should then be forwarded to:

Student Recruitment Office  
Bryan College  
Dayton, TN 37321

To Desmond and LYNNE (STEVENS) '71 HARPER a son, Sean William, on October 25, in the Christian Hospital at Chainat, Thailand. The family planned to visit paternal relatives in Ireland before rejoining the ship LOGOS with Operation Mobilization.

To DENNIS '73 and BONNIE (HEATH) '73 BODLIEN a second daughter, Erin Ruth, on October 26, in Dayton, Tenn. Their older daughter, Dawn, is two.

To ROBERT '75 and MARILEE (POOLE) '72 WHISMAN their second son, Samuel Mark, on July 22, in Dayton, Tenn. Bobby is two years old.

To Bill and CAROL (BAGGERLY) x'79 TREXLER a daughter, Cerice Carol, on December 6 in Sayre, Penn.

To PAUL x'78 and BECKY (ELY) '76 YOUNG their first child, Elizabeth May, on January 17, 1978, in Dayton, Tenn.

To JERRY '76 and JAN '75 GERBER a son, Joshua Carl, on December 1, in Grand Rapids, Mich. Their daughter, Emmy, is happy being a helper.

To DENNIS '70 and Edna JENSEN a son, Ashley Wayne, on August 21, in Hibbing, Minn.

To DAN '75 and SHERRY (HILL) '74 CAMP a daughter, Sherry Laine, on December 29 in Atlanta, Ga.

To Ashley and ELLEN (SMITH) '75 ROYAL a son, Charles Ashley, Jr., on January 1, in Savannah, Ga.

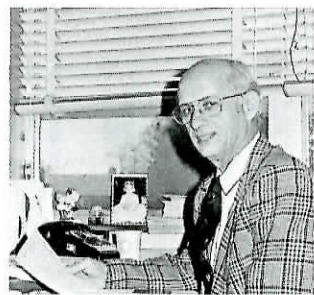
## IN MEMORIAM

FRANKLIN H. BENNETT '34, a member of the first graduating class of Bryan College, died on October 20, after serving His Lord in a preaching ministry for 45 years, of which 43 were as a resident of Ronceverte, W. V. His first pastorate was at the Christian Church in Forest Park, Fl., for one year, until he went to the Ronceverte Christian Church for four years. After one year of service with the Church in Elkins, W. V., he joined the American Red Cross as a counselor for the armed forces. Then he was called to the Christian Church in Chatham, Va., until 1950, when he began a second ministry with the Ronceverte Church until retirement in 1961, when he was made Minister Emeritus. In other community service in Ronceverte, he formed Troop 54 of the Boy Scouts and served as Scoutmaster; he was a past president and treasurer of the Lions Club; he served on the original organizational committee of the Greenbrier Youth Camp; and he was a member of the Ministerial Association with various offices. He is survived by his wife, Marjorie, one daughter, Sandra Menders, and one son, Timothy Bennett.

FLORENCE (MONCK) CORDOVA '47 was released from a body of confinement to the Lord's presence on September 22. She had suffered the increasing limitations of multiple sclerosis plus heart problems, but was so happy to make the trip to Dayton last July along with her children, ALAN '76 and GLORIA x'77. She is survived also by her husband, August, and another daughter, Eileen.

LOIS (JOHNSON) ALLEN x'55 passed away on April 24, 1978, at age 45. She is survived by her husband, David Allen, and three children—Becky, 18; Jonathan, 16; and Daniel, 13. The family resides in Goldendale, Wash.

BRUCE HARRISON '52 of Manasquan, New Jersey, died Sunday, October 29. He had served 25 years as guidance counselor at Wall Township High School and had directed several young people to attend Bryan. A graduate of the Bible Institute of



BRUCE HARRISON

Pennsylvania prior to attending Bryan, Mr. Harrison was ordained to the ministry under the Conservative Baptist fellowship. He was responsible for organizing three churches in New Jersey—the First Baptist of Wall Township, Maranatha Baptist of Hazlet, and the Way of Life Fellowship in Neptune which he continued to serve as pastor until his death. His counselling ministry included personal counseling and public service as juvenile judge for several years. He is survived by his wife, Marion, and six children: DAWN STRUSE x'68, Stephen, Doris Brooks, Bryan, Cherith, and Ian Scott.

Memorial gifts were made in honor of Mr. Harrison by the following friends and relatives:

Mrs. George Gegill  
Mrs. R. L. Harrison (mother)  
Wall Township Education Association  
Mr. and Mrs. John D. Walton  
Mrs. Marie Emmons  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Nason  
Rev. and Mrs. Morris Morgan  
Wall Center Teacher's Fund  
Mrs. Marion Harrison (wife)

Memorial gifts to honor a loved one and to train Christian youth may be sent to:

Alumni Office  
Bryan College  
Dayton, TN 37321